

Hypothermia Services Prince William Area CoC (PWA CoC)

October 21, 2021

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Hypothermia Season

- Starts: November 1, 2021
- Ends: March 31, 2022



When Will Services be Enacted

- When temperatures will be 32 degrees or below and considering the wind chill factor.
- If there are multiple consecutive days of 32 or below, the client only needs to register one time for the East and West. On the West clients will have to leave the premises the next morning at 7:00 a.m.



Hypo Services Provided by:

- East (StreetLight Ministries)
- West (Manassas Baptist Church)



Structure & Services Type (East):

- East (Motel/Hotel Services)
 - Will serve up to 28 persons
 - 2 person to a room
 - Staff on location during operating hours
 - Transportation will be provided



Structure & Services Type (West):

- West (Congregate location at Manassas Baptist Church)
- Will serve up to 28 persons
- Up to 10 single females & 18 single males
- Staff, security and volunteers on location during operating hours
- Clients must access the bus system.



Location & Arrival Times

- East (Bill Mehr Drop-In Center 14716 Potomac Mills Road)
 - Clients should not be on the premises until 6:00pm
- West (Manassas Baptist Church- 8730 Sudley Road, Manassas, Virginia)
 - Clients should not be on the premises until 6:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday and 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday due to church programs.

Background - cont.



Point of Contact

After Hours, Weekends, & Holidays

- East
 - StreetLight Ministries Staff on Duty
 - **•** 703-227-7140
- West
 - Jay Sharpe
 - **571-277-0728**



Overflow & Families

- No overflow capacity.
- SLM and Manassas Baptist Church will contact other shelter providers when they reach capacity or if a family inquiries about hypothermia services. During normal business hours families will be asked to contact coordinated entry system, 703-792-3366, Monday Friday 8:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m.

Coordinated Entry Services



CES Overall Role – I&R

- CES Staff will complete assessment intake for clients not connected to a homeless provider or the PWA Service seeking hypothermia services between the hours of 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
 - Special Note: Clients connected to services (homeless, street outreach, police department, sheriff's department, etc.) will be responsible to make referrals using the referrals links provided by each organization

Coordinated Entry Services – cont.



CES Overall Role - Transportation

 Assist with transportation for clients not connected to services only



CES Overall Role - Notifications

- CES will send out a hypothermia services notification two times per week (Mondays & Thursdays)
- The email will include the hyper link to make a referral for both the east and west hypothermia shelter programs



Referrals – How To Make Them

- First goal is to see if emergency shelter beds are open – Call CES 703.792.3366
- If no beds are available and client is linked to your services, utilize the hyper links in the weekly notification to make a referral to a client

Questions & Answers



